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SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time, a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and authorization to charge the requisite fee being enclosed.

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2006, please amend the subject application as follows:

- I. Amendments to the Claims appear on page 2 of this paper;
- II. Amendments to the Specification appear on page 15 of this paper; and
- III. Remarks begin on page 35 of this paper.